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**To:** Microsoft ATR  
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**Subject:** Microsoft Settlement

Dear Sir or Madam:

I think the proposed settlement is bad idea. It does little to punish Microsoft, does little to insure they will "toe the line" moving forward, and does not address the substantive issues which lead to creation of the Microsoft hegemony in the first place.

The settlement is little more than a wink and a nod towards corporate malfeasance, and an abrogation of the duties of the responsible government agencies.

I thank you for your consideration.

- John Silver